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EDUCATION/TRAINING (<i>Begin with baccalaureate or other initial professional education, such as nursing, and include postdoctoral training.</i>)			
INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE (if applicable)	YEAR(s)	FIELD OF STUDY
University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA	B.S.	1983	Biomedical Engineering
Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH	M.S.	1987	Biomedical Engineering
Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH	Ph.D.	1991	Biomedical Engineering

A. Positions and Honors.

- 2005-Pres Clinical Instructor, Dept. Orthopaedics, Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine
 1998-Pres Clinical Research Director, Cleveland Veterans Administration Functional Electrical Stimulation Center, Cleveland, Ohio
 1994-Pres Program Manager, Dept. Orthopaedics MetroHealth Medical Center, Cleveland, Ohio
 1992-Pres Adjunct Assistant Professor, Dept. Biomedical Engineering, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio
 1992-1994 Clinical Research Director, Cleveland VA Functional Electrical Stimulation Center, Cleveland, Ohio
 1991-1992 Research Associate, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio
 1988-1991 Biomedical Engineer, Medical Research, Cleveland Veterans Administration Medical Center, Cleveland, Ohio
 1983-1991 Graduate Research Assistant, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio

B. Selected peer-reviewed publications

- Bhadra N, Bhadra N, **Kilgore KL**, Gustafson KJ, High frequency electrical conduction block of the pudendal nerve, J. Neural Engineering, 3(2):180-7, 2006.
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- Creasey G, **Kilgore KL**, Brown-Triolo DL, Dahlberg JE, Peckham PH, Keith MW, Reduction of Costs of Disability Using Neuroprostheses, *Assistive Technology*, 12:67-75, 2000.
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C. Research Support.

RESEARCH GRANTS - ACTIVE

“A Novel Waveform for Electrical Nerve Conduction Block”

Principal Investigator: Kevin L. Kilgore, Ph.D.

Agency: NIH - NIBIB – EB-002091

Type: R01 Period 6/1/04 - 5/31/07

The goal of this project is to develop a method of electrically blocking the conduction of action potentials along a peripheral nerve. The concept proposed in this project is to use a balanced-charge waveform that produces a depolarizing block of the nerve membrane. This project involves nerve modeling to predict the waveform and electrode parameters that are most critical to success. Acute animal studies will be used to demonstrate successful conduction block in a variety of *in vivo* conditions.

“Restoration of Hand and Arm Function by Neuromuscular Stimulation”

Co-Principal Investigator: Kevin L. Kilgore, Ph.D. (PI – RF Kirsch)

Agency: NIH – NINDS –

Type: N01 – Contract Period: 10/2005 – 9/2010

The purpose of this project is to extend the benefits of neuroprostheses to additional groups of individuals with cervical spinal cord injury. In particular, new techniques will be employed to develop neuroprostheses for individuals with high level tetraplegia (C4 or higher SCI), low tetraplegia (C7 SCI), individuals with incomplete injuries, and individuals with denervation of key muscles. In addition, work will focus on integrating hand function with improved arm function to enhance the capability provided to individuals with C5-C6 tetraplegia.

“Neurostimulation and Neuromodulation Partnership”

Biomedical Research and Technology Transfer Partnership Award

Co-Principal Investigator: Kevin L. Kilgore, Ph.D. (PI – PH Peckham)

Agency: State of Ohio – BRTT03-10 Period: 7/1/03-6/30/06

The goal of this project is to develop an alliance between academic and commercial sectors that will provide a mechanism to commercialize the valuable findings and technologies developed in Ohio in the area of neurostimulation. The PI on this project is Dr. Hunter Peckham.

“Ohio Neurostimulation and Neuromodulation Partnership Continuation”

Biomedical Research and Commercialization Program, State of Ohio

Co-Principal Investigator: Kevin L. Kilgore, Ph.D. (PI – PH Peckham)

Agency: State of Ohio – BRCP Period: 7/1/06-6/30/09

Continuation of BRTT-03-10

“Restoration of Hand-Arm Function with Neuroprostheses”

Co-Principal Investigator: Kevin L. Kilgore, Ph.D. (PI – PH Peckham)

Agency: FDA - FD-R-002389

Period: 10/03-9/30/06

The goal of this project is to evaluate the functional benefits provided by an implanted neuroprosthesis for individuals with C5/C6 spinal cord injury. The implanted neuroprosthesis consists of 12 stimulus channels and 2 myoelectric control channels. Six subjects are to be implemented and evaluated during the period of this proposal.

"Rehabilitation Engineering Platform Technology for Excellence"

VA Center C3819C (RJ Triolo PI)

Period: 1/1/05-12/31/09

Department of Veterans Affairs Rehabilitation Research and Development Service

The objective of this project is the development of advanced technology for application in the area of rehabilitation. Applications include prosthetics, neuroprosthetics and new materials for orthotics.

"Development of Networked Implantable Neuroprostheses"

Co-Principal Investigator: Kevin L. Kilgore, Ph.D. (PI – PH Peckham)

Agency: NIH-NIBIB – 1R01-EB-001740

Type: R01 Period: 3/25/2005 – 2/28/2006

The goal of this project is to develop a new design concept in implantable neuroprostheses that is based on a network of modules. The key feature of this design is that it can be configured for multiple applications using a small number of unique modules. The system is fully implanted with wireless programming and internal power supplied by a rechargeable battery.

"Implanted Myoelectric Control for Restoration of Hand Function in SCI"

Co-Principal Investigator: Kevin L. Kilgore, Ph.D. (PI – PH Peckham)

Agency: VA

Type: VA Merit Review Period: 8/1/05 – 7/31/08

The goal of this project is to evaluate the functional benefits provided by an implanted neuroprosthesis for individuals with C4/C7 spinal cord injury. The implanted neuroprosthesis consists of 12 stimulus channels and 2 myoelectric control channels. Four subjects are to be implemented and evaluated during the period of this proposal.

RESEARCH PROJECTS COMPLETED IN LAST THREE YEARS:

"A Novel Waveform for Electrical Nerve Conduction Block"

Principal Investigator: Kevin L. Kilgore, Ph.D.

Agency: NIH – NS40553-01A1

Type: R01 Period 6/15/01 - 5/31/04

"Development of Networked Implantable Neuroprostheses"

Co-Principal Investigator: Kevin L. Kilgore, Ph.D. (PI – PH Peckham)

Agency: NIH-NINDS – 1R01NS41809-01

Type: R01 Period: 9/1/01-8/31/05

"FES Control of the Extremities in Spinal Cord Injury"

Co-Principal Investigator: Kevin L. Kilgore, Ph.D. (PI – PH Peckham)

Agency: Department of Veterans Affairs Rehabilitation Research and Development Service – B2725R

Type: Merit Review Period: 3/1/02-2/28/05

“Multichannel Implantable System for Neural Control”

Co-Principal Investigator: Kevin L. Kilgore, Ph.D. (PI – PH Peckham)

Agency: NIH – NINDS – 2R01NS29549

Type: R01 Period: 4/1/99 – 3/31/04

“Restoration of Hand and Arm Function by Neuromuscular Stimulation”

Co-Principal Investigator: Kevin L. Kilgore, Ph.D. (PI – RF Kirsch)

Agency: NIH – NINDS – N01-NS-1-2333

Type: N01 – Contract Period: 6/1/01 - 5/31/05